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This is the other item that needs to go in the EEO record.

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Roy, the EEO Supporters concur with this suggestion. As presented, it does not contemplate an extension of the effective date of the regulations, and on the merits it's reasonable.

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Roy,

April 1 is fast approaching as the due date when the first annual EEO Public File Reports must be placed in station public files and posted on station websites. The affected radio and television stations are those licensed to communities in the States of Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Texas, Delaware and Pennsylvania. The time period covered will be March 10 through March 31.

The post-decision record in this proceeding evidences a strong consensus in favor of extending such due deadlines to the date which is 10 days after the anniversary renewal filing date or, in this case, from April 1 to April 10.

On behalf of the affected states, it is respectfully requested the Commission immediately issue a Public Notice declaring that the Commission is temporarily extending the applicable deadlines by such 10 day period pending action on the petitions for reconsideration and clarification that are currently pending before the Commission. Such action is fully

consistent with the Commission's practice of allowing 10 days after the end of the applicable period: (i) for radio and television stations to place their Quarterly Issues/Programs Lists in their public inspection files; and (ii) for television stations to place in their public inspection files their quarterly children's programming commercialization documentation and to file with the Commission their quarterly Children's Programming Reports on FCC Form 398.

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